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HOLLIES COUNTRYSIDE CLUB

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2022

Dear Parents

#### DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

This term will finish on  
Autumn term begins on  
Half term weeks will be  
End of Autumn term will be

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2022**  
**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2022**  
**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> October 2022 (Please note - No Swimming for 2 weeks)**  
**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2022**

#### PRICE INFORMATION

The new term will be a 13-week course. The cost will be **£169 per child including VAT. Payment needs to be made by Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> July.** Payment can be made by cash or cheque, payable to **SWIM STARS** (please put cash in an envelope with child's name on and hand in on the day your child swims) or by bank transfer to **Account No.65436797 Sort Code.09-01-28.** Please provide your child's name on the back of the cheque or as a reference when making bank transfers (see below).

#### NOT RETURNING

**It is very important that you let us know by email, [info@swim-stars.co.uk](mailto:info@swim-stars.co.uk) if you are not continuing your child's lessons next term so places can be offered to those on the waiting list, please don't assume that we know.**

#### BANK TRANSFERS

All bank transfer payments must have a reference of your child's name, day they swim and pool which will be the first letter of the pool name. Eg; (A.N.Other/Sun/H) for Hollies pool. We understand for longer names this may be more difficult however please do your best as this helps us reference your payment.

#### BADGES AND CERTIFICATES

The swimmers will be tested on their skills badges this term (This is a combination of technical swimming with different skills like treading water, picking up sinkers, somersaults, sculling, jumping in, all skills are suited to their level). If you would like their badge and certificate please put £3.50 in a sealed envelope with your child's name clearly written on as you would like it to appear on the certificate, also include the venue, day and time they swim on the envelope and post it into the box on poolside during your child's swimming lessons. Badge money needs to be brought in by Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> July (last day to collect) so we have time for the order to be returned to us and certificates written out.

#### SUMMER SWIMMING SCHOOLS

This summer we have 3 separate intensive swimming weeks taking place at Midfield Primary School on the border of Orpington/Sidcup. These courses are excellent for making quick progress, and building up stamina and confidence. For children 3 years and upwards. The forms are on our Swim Stars website. Please return the form to us quickly if you are interested as we have limited places. The course is ideal for non-swimmers (beginners) up to 50m swimmers maximum due to the swimming pool size. Cost per child for the weeks course is £60.

#### BLUE OVERSHOES

Everyone who enters the swimming pool area and changing rooms must have blue overshoes already over their shoes or shoes removed. Also children need to remove their outdoor shoes at the changing room entrance and not put them on again until they have exited the changing area. This includes parents and swimmers. Swimmers don't want to be getting changed in a muddy changing room so please take time to follow this rule.

#### DRIVING INTO HOLLIES

Where possible you must always park in the Hollies car park using the Acacia Way entrance from White Oak Gardens. Registration plates will be noted by the Hollies management of all cars parked in incorrect areas. Please make sure you are maintaining a safe distance at all times in the car park when you are bringing your swimmers to the lessons and a face mask is being worn where applicable.

Please send an email to the address at the top of this page if you need to change days/times, if you have a problem, or are finishing with Swim Stars, feedback is always useful. Alternatively if you have any problems or queries do not hesitate to ask by phone or in person at the pool using the contacts at the top of the page. Lastly we'd like to take this opportunity to wish you all a lovely summer.

Happy swimming

Tom and Liz